

DEPT. 02A DAIRY CATTLE

Paul Chittenden, Superintendent
Mail entries to Columbia County Fair
32 Church St.
Chatham, NY 12037

Assistants: Roy Denniston - Fred Barringer – Holly Tanner

ENTRIES & PAYMENT MUST BE POSTMARKED BY - **AUGUST 15, 2025**

ENTRY FEE - **\$8.00** PER ENTRY

JUDGING -SATURDAY AUGUST 30th @10:00 AM

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

1. Additional entry blanks are available from the Secretary or can be downloaded from the fair internet website (www.Columbiafair.com)
2. All animals shown in group classes must be shown in their individual classes. 1 entry per exhibitor.
3. All animals exhibited must have been owned by the exhibitor for at least 30 days prior to the opening date of the fair.
4. Registration papers will be accepted as final proof of ownership and must be available for identification of animals.
5. All worthy animals competing in the show ring will receive at least a \$20.00 premium.
6. Any exhibitor with 3 milking females will receive a \$150 bonus. Plus \$50 for each additional milking female with a limit of **4 total cows**. (*Classes 11,12,13 & 14*)
7. **Dry Cow will show in their respected classes.**
8. All matters not covered by the rules or any interpretation of rules are to be decided by the Agricultural Committee from the Board of Directors of the fair.
9. All animals, to be exhibited, must be in place of exhibit no later than 10:00 AM on opening day of the fair Wednesday
10. Discharge time will be 6:00 PM Monday. No vehicles for loading will be allowed in the agricultural area until 6:00 PM. Violations of check-in or discharge time will result in forfeiture of premium money.

**ALL CATTLE MUST MEET NEW YORK STATE HEALTH REGULATIONS AS
OUTLINED IN THE STANDARDS FOR LIVESTOCK HEALTH REGULATION**

DAIRY CLASSES

Premiums:	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6 th
All Classes	\$80	\$70	\$60	\$50	\$40	\$30

Division 1- Holstein
 Division 3- Ayrshire
 Division 5- Guernsey

Division 2- Jersey Division
 Division 4- Milking Shorthorn
 Division 6- Brown Swiss
 Division 7- AOB

CLASSES :

1. Heifer calf born after 2/28/25 and before 5/1/25
2. Heifer calf born after 11/30/24 and before 3/1/25
3. Heifer calf born after 8/31/24 and before 12/1/24
4. Summer yearling born after 5/31/24 and before 9/1/24
5. Junior yearling born after 2/28/24 and before 6/1/24
6. Intermediate senior yearling born after 11/30/23 and before 3/1/23
7. Senior yearling born after 8/31/23 and before 12/1/23
8. **Junior Champion HeiferRosette**
9. **Reserve Junior Champion Heifer.....Rosette**
10. Junior best 3 females-all must be owned and at least one bred by the exhibitor
11. 2 year old cow, born after 8/31/22 and before 9/1/23
12. 3 year old cow, born after 8/31/21 and before 9/1/22
13. 4 year old cow, born after 8/31/20 and before 9/1/21
14. 5 year old and over cow born before 9/1/19
15. **Senior Champion female.....Rosette**
16. **Reserve Senior Champion female.....Rosette**
17. **Grand Champion.....Rosette**
18. **Reserve Grand Champion.....Rosette**
19. **Supreme Champion Cow.....Rosette**
20. **Supreme Champion Heifer.....Rosette**
21. Senior Best 3 females – all must be 2 years or older and all be owned and at least one bred by the exhibitor